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In re application of: **Koichi SATO**

Application No. : 09/824,248

Group Art Unit:2615

Filed : April 3, 2001

Examiner: B. J. Jelinek

For : **CONTINUAL - IMAGE PROCESSING DEVICE****Mail Stop AF**

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Transmitted herewith is a **Response under 37 C.F.R. 1.116** in the above-captioned application.

_____ Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a previously filed statement.

_____ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

_____ A Request for Extension of Time.

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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

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Sir:

In response to the outstanding Final Official Action dated February 27, 2006, in which a three-month shortened statutory period for response was set to expire on May 30, 2006 (May 27, 2006 falling on a Saturday and May 29, 2006 falling on a Federal holiday), the present Response being filed within two months of the date of the outstanding Final Official Action, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding rejection as well as an indication of the allowability of each of the claims pending in the present application.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.